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SUBJECT: AMCITS WHO REMAINED BEHIND IN CAMBODIA

1. IN COURSE OF DEBRIEFING, FORMER COMMANDER OF GKR POULO WAI NAVAL INSTALLATION STATED THAT WHEN HE FLED ISLAND ON APRIL 19 TWO AMERICAN CITIZENS AND SEVERAL FRENCH NATIONALS, WHO HAD BEEN DRILLING FOR OIL ABOUT 20 MILES FROM THE ISLAND, REMAINED BEHIND.
2. EXXON HAS INFORMED US THAT THEIR JOINT DRILLING VENTURE WITH THE FRENCH FIRM ELF ERAP ENDED WHEN THEIR RIG WENT TO SINGAPORE SIX TO EIGHT MONTHS AGO. AS FAR AS THEY KNOW NO ONE ELSE HAS BEEN DRILLING IN THE AREA.
3. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION EMBASSIES BANGKOK AND PARIS MIGHT BE ABLE TO PROVIDE. KISSINGER

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